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Barbelle's case

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Subject: Re Ernest Wilhelm BOHLE, leader of the Nazi organization abroad.

Reference is made to the Department's circular airgram of January 22, 1945 regarding Ernst Wilhelm BOHLE and requesting a report regarding his activities in Spain.

An undated Spanish official record in Barcelona shows one Ernst Anton Wilhelm BOHLE, a German business man, living at Calle Roger de Lauria 11, pral., 2-A, Barcelona, but the Consulate General at Barcelona states that this person has not been clearly identified. No such person resides nor is known at the address given and he has not been located elsewhere. See Barcelona's letter to the Embassy of April 12, 1945, a copy of which was sent to the Department. The man of whom a trace was found in Barcelona is probably not the same Bohle referred to in the circular airgram; however, the investigation is being continued to ascertain whether the Bohle in whom the Department is interested is setting up an escape organization in Spain.

Hectograph to the Department.  
2 copies to American Embassy, London.  
1 copy to American Embassy, Lisbon.  
2 copies to British Embassy, Madrid.

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